

1 About 2 yrs ago, I was getting off the bus, tired and grumpy, and my life changed. I saw something sitting on the porch, and it ran out to me, it was a dog! She was sniffing and licking me and I was just so happy.

"Do you like her?" said my mom to my sister.

"Yes!" my little sister yelled, "She's so cute!" I knew that me and my little sister had more responsibilities, but we could handle it. So we fed her, took her for walks, and kenneled her. It was fun for the first couple of days, but then it got boring.

Three days after we got her, she was playful all the time! She was bouncing off the walls! We don't know what happened but she was H-Y-P-E-R, hyper.

The next day, my mom's alarm clock didn't go off, so my dog, Tisha, somehow got out of her kennel, ran into my room, and started barking! So I look up, and there's Tisha, just sitting there looking at me with her tiny eyes. Right then and there, I knew that we had a special bond that no one else had.

Walking, loping, running, the sound of horse's feet against ground is the best sound ever! Riding a horse is a privilage, the horse has to trust you enough to ride. The hard part is getting the horse to trust you. You may be wondering, "How do I get a horse trust me!?" The answer to that question is simple, pet their ears, horses are very protective of their ears only because people that are cruel will twist them so the horse will do what they need to do. Rub on their legs, if you rub their legs they will know not to be afraid, it will let them know that you are trying to get to know them better. Pet them around their head, that's letting them know that you will be with them every step of the way, at the rodeo, in the round pen, at the house, anywhere. Talk to them, they won't understand you but it helps to calm them down and it let's them know that you're there with them. Don't be away for to long because that bond between you and that horse will go away. I have a bond between three horses, one male, 2 female, Dock, Dolly, and Cici, Dock is my favorite because he's so gentle around kid's, it's also easy to read him. Dolly is sweet, but she can get vicious from time to time. Cici is the shy but calm one, the only time you'll get close to her is in the stall.

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When I was little, I never really got to know my family, let alone see them. Until one day at a family reunion, I saw many people that I didn't even know about. For instance, my cousin, Kaitlyn.

All us kids were playing on a swingset and getting to know how we were all related. That's when Kaitlyn came up to me and asked if I was related to her. I told her that I didn't know. Next thing we know, a herd of high schoolers came rushing through us and tripped us over. When I got up I helped her back on her feet.

All day long we played together, talked together, even ate together. We won and lost competitions in the park and even won an eating contest together.

When it was time to leave, Kaitlyn and I were very sad because we thought we would never see each other again. But later on that day, I found out that she was surprisingly close to my house, and we've kept in touch ever

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Sparkie, tough and fuzzy, is the most playful dog that you will ever meet. It all started when we were on our way to my mom's house. It was mad at me for making me sit in his truck where you could get your pants or shorts stained.

All of a sudden my brother's girlfriend, Lanna, had seen a dog just looking for a home on the side of the street. "Stop there's a dog!" Lanna excitedly stated. "What are we gonna do with it?" Dylan asked. "We can keep it at your house until I ask my mom if I could bring it home," Lanna explained.

So we had the dog in the truck and we figured out it was bleeding so we gave it a towel to put under his leaking leg. So we got home and I saw that there was a tennis ball under the house so I threw it far to see if she would go get it. "Dorcas look how rough and playful she is now that's the perfect dog for you," Dylan

I can never really bond with anyone like Mom or Dad not even my sister, well of course not her. The only bond that even exists with me that glows quite faint that people don't really care that makes the light fainter than ever, this bond happens rarely because well he rarely visits me, yet she makes it quite smothering and boring. That someone is my cousin we are the only two that have the same likes and dislikes, were just plain trouble times two, double trouble yet that's not gonna bother anyone were just plain stupid and we'll keep it that way. Mainly Lauren, Blake's drama queen sister is extremely negative all the time about our habits strangely me and Blake keep it positive with our addicting habit yet when Lauren and Malena combine they bring the nagging, bickering, whinning, rudeness, negativity to a whole new level, and we hate it! Always ruining our video games, deleting our data, messing up our files, on purpose saying they didn't mean to do it even when I see that devilish smile when they're off the hook not even getting yelled at. The video games let us bond for good reasons, not all we do is bonding on the games, we enjoy playing football outside sometimes we'll even shoot some hoops one on one going to 20 points, quite enjoyable. Or sometime we'll stay up late watching scary videos that make us freak out in laughter. He is the only person that knows what I enjoy. Everyone else doesn't.

It was about mid June when me and my family wen't to south padre island.

It was hot as a firecracker out there , we stayed out there for one week, F
the first thing we did was go to the beach. I suddenly wanted to go surfing.
My Mother brought me and my brothers a surfboard. I moved my legs in all
sorts of direction to keep My balance on the surfboard to keep from falling,
I tried to do some tricks on the surfboard, but I couldn't do any. Surfing is
hard to do, but it's fun.

My mother, my grandmother and my sister were sitting on the beach
talking about all the things they wanted to do before we leave to go home.
My mother yelled get out the water and let's berry your brother in the sand,
we dug until we go a lil boy size hole. So we put both of my little brother in
the hole and said lets see who can get out first. My brothers moved all
type of ways to get out of the sand bug got out before Rico. We all went
back to the hotel to get dressed to go out to eat. We went to IHOP.

We all eat ,I had some ice cream , I'm not supposed to have ice cream
because, it made my stomach hurt so I ate pancakes. I got the all you can
eat pancakes. It was good until the ice cream hit me I had to go to the
restroom so bad I almost used it in my pants. I made it back to the hotel
just in time before I went on my self.

Every body got in bed in to watch tv, except my cousin and I played the

play station 3 until 3:00 a.m., then we fall asleep. We had to get up at 10:00 in the morning to go eat breakfast and get dressed , because we got ^F a lot of thing we wanted to do that day before it was time to return to the _{Cont.} room to watch the firework show!

The next morning we had to get up very early to leave to go home it's a 7 hour drive. It was a very great experience. I will never forget anything about the trip. From the crystal clear beach water, the amazing hotel view and the great food they had. Someday I hope to go back there and get to see more amazing things.

Man have you seen my team, Their the Pirhanas
a strong loyal team. But me on the other
hand. I was kinda scared out side if you
say. My team thought I was a SKANK.
I Suck. But in my teams defence. I did
Suck. That's Just the worst part. Your about
to here how I bonded with my dad, and how
I saved the day. It was August 3rd
remembered it like was yesterday. I was
11 Short but SKINNY BULKY arms a Slugger
But not accurate. I played Short Stop fast
golden gloves. My dad he came to my
games but didn't cheer. I was sad
but one afternoon 3:30pm came game
time coach phillip said to me today
your time! I belived! today is my
time my time my time! So in the
Bottom of the ninth trailing 8-6.
So that team got wild excited
fierceful Kevin came up whack
that Ball flew Double. So my turn
team got down. Then I pitch Strike
2nd pitch Strike third whack gone! my dad
cheered. So in the truck on the way
to go get some icecream, my dad and I Bonded
So tradition lives on. I love my dad a he loves

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whipping, dashing, flying through the air, the boy and his father casted out into the lake. They reeled and reeled for hours but then the line snapped. "Dad can we move to a different spot," "Sure son where would you like to go," "Close to the bank, that's where all the fish are". So they left and went closer to the bank.

Two days earlier, son lake TX, "Dad can we go fishing," "Yeah when would you like to go," "the twenty third. It took two hours to get to the lake but it was worth it.

Present day, as we moved closer to the bank we saw some big fish swim by, so we casted out and waited. Swishing, splashing, flipping its tail, the fish struggled to get away. Amazingly the fish jumped high out of the water and hit my dad in the face knocking him off balance causing him to fall in the water. We both laughed and decided to go back home. On the way to the shore we saw some big alligators and beavers. Me and my dad got to bond over something as simple as a fishing trip. That day wasn't the best day of my life but it sure was fun.

One day I wock up and ate eggs,baken,pancakes. Then I got drest, then my consensus came to my house,then we all visited for a little wol, then we all got into the car and went to Smith lake in vide. When we got there we had to put on sunscreen. When we were all done we went to the slippery,zippy zipline when I first got on the zipline I was scared so my cossen tolled me to count to 3 and go so when I did that I was yelled to the top of my lungs then I had to let go of the handal when I did that I made a jygantic splash so jygantic people in Japan could see it.

The same day we all went back to my house and played out side games like (hyde and go seek) then it was lunch time and we had was goofy,crunchy, and had nuts in it. When we all got done we woched a movie woll eating salty,buderly popcorn. The movie that we woched had 16 episodes the movies name was Hary Poter. We woched every singal episode then when we were done we did a pillow fight against my mom,dad,and 7 aunts for a hour then we started a football team, it was my team against my brothers team, his team was could the priest and my team was the 2014 NFL team that won, it was the seatal sea hawks. So we got done playing and the score was 24-12 then It was time for my consensus to go home I had the best day of my life I hope that I can do this again soon.

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Boom, crack, pow, the gun shots went off. When we were shooting at the clay birds my grandfather put his hand on my shoulder. He says to me, "I love you but you need to learn how to shoot better." So he pulled me off to the side and starts giving me private lessons.

At that moment I was panicing because he has never shown that he loved me and so everything went in slow motion but my mind was trying to process all that it could.

Manner 4 life

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I had a bond for playing games. I was the best out of all of my friend in my school. They would never bet me on a game. The only one that could bet me all my games is my brother. They use to ask me how did I play that good?

I had a bond for shoe. I was in love with my shoe. I brought a shoe masterly every week or I would go by other thing. Just beacuse I had shoe i was cool. My shoe would coast 200\$ masterly every one of them. My Nike coast 100\$ beacuse they were made of a different material or something like that.


- I have a bond for dog. I like to care fully take care of my dog. The favor dog soon I was one-year old beacuse dog take care of you. And we take care of them too. we need to help dog that are in the streets beacuse they're homeless.

Gushing, Squinting, Bleeding, I fall off the glass table, aching in pain, hoping it would go away. My mom rushes outside, she shouted, "Shyler babe are you OK" I reply back "No Mom". We got in my dad's truck, he screams with a worried look on his face, "SHAWN, hurry up, we rush to the emergency room. In the truck I am thinking what if I lose my finger? I ask my mom, "Am I going to be OK"? She replies "yes baby everything will be alright. My dad is going 100 miles per hour, on highway 90. We get to the emergency room in under 8 minutes.

When we walk in the emergency room my mom sees one of her ex-volleyball players. She was working as a nurse there. Tears dripping, heart racing, we quickly get to a room, we see one of the bone doctors there, he had an unsual accent, he commanded, "move your finger" so ofcourse I move my finger, he assured me and my parents that I will have to get a good amount of stitches. So a different doctor comes in with a variety of different needles, My heart drops, she implied "sweety this is going to be a piece of cake, and it was. Overall I had to get Nine Shots, two in the booty, three in the arm, and 4 in the finger. Still tears dripping, heart beating, my dad and I had some good bonding time, after the 32 amazing stitches, we got to talk about sports, and he repeatedly told me "I love you" I reply back with eyes filled with tears "I love you too" Dad.

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I made my first Special bond when i moved to Kansas. He was, amazing and Special, to me, he was my best friend. I know him since 1st grade, we are really good friends as a mom's and dad's know each other they were good friends. My mom worked at her pre school and that's where we met. we went to the same school together from 1st grade to 5th grade, he was like my brother.

Since i moved here we still have been really good friends. we laugh and miss each other. I miss a lot of my true friends, we hungout by the baseball field and we would go to the Sports complex and play all kind of games there. we would play basketball a lot because we all know how to play basketball. It was so much fun when i was with them.



It was with my cuzin in hawii. We bonded in the
airplane to hawii. when we got there, we took off to the
house that we were staying at. Then we went fish the
next day.

We fished and fished didn't get a nibble. It was a fun day
though. Then we went in for the day



When me and my best friend came to her, I remember it like it was yesterday.

We were helping each other with the show cause.

We were in the middle of bathing her when I dumped the bucket of water on her head.

Then she sprayed me with the water later that is when we declared war.

Since we got back from our summer we started to little each other and we have a lot in common.

She came home with me last night and we pulled a prank on my sister. Once we got done

laughing my mom called out "hurry time!" we all raced down stairs to eat. Once we

were done my mom's sister told us to watch our backs we didn't listen. She pulled a good

prank on us. That is when I said "When the prank was over?" It was then Erin

pranked me and she just kept her smile.

At the hospital waiting on the results Shelby and I stayed in the waiting room planning

our prank on Erin. We came up with the best prank ever.

When we finally got home me and Shelby had our started. The big prank was

we got a bucket of rotten milk and dump it on her. Our planed worked.

Ever since this day Erin has been scared to prank us. Shelby and I

where awesome at pranks so we had to get her brother. After we got her brother

we never went away from each other. We realized we where perfect for each other.

Now what we are planning is how to get our prankness. This

will be the hardest one yet. We have not taken very long.

We became the best prank people just by meeting each other at a

Show and spraying each other with water. Secretly I am thinking of a prank

to pull on her. Then I will be the best pranker ever by myself.

My Special bond.

It was the year 2003. I was sitting on the sofa watching my favorite movie, *Arad up*. When suddenly my dad comes running down the hall yelling, "Get in the car!" like something was happening.

Next thing I knew, we were entering the hospital, cold and weird smelling hospital, because my mom was in labor. While my dad, running like he's in a marathon, raced up the hospital stairs. I was ripped from his side, but he kept going like he didn't notice. Horrified and scared I was trying to fight back but

Somehow my mind clicked and I realized it was my grandmother holding me against my will.

"Honey, it's me. Calm down, you can't go in there just come and sit next to me." She stated. Calmly I walked over there and sat with her for what felt like forever. You could

here my mom scream from all the pain, when suddenly you heard a baby's cry and all the screaming stopped. My dad walked out of the room with a new born baby in his hands with a smile as wide as the pacific ocean on his face. Joy filled the air as well as love.

Tears building heart pumping, smile blooming, my baby brother was placed in my arms. His glistening eyes met mine and it was like I was in the future watching me and him playing together and laughing like best friends. You could see the sibling love and the attachment. It was like we couldn't be separated even with a bomb.

Our life was going to change for the better or for the worst. That was the closest person to me, my brother, and my special bond was created by a single stare.

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It all started when I was in first grade I lived in Lumberton by the time then I moved to Saw Lake in between first and second grade I was very little I moved in a trailer on a big piece of property my neighbor was Dalton Willford for about a couple of weeks then a girl moved in her name was Josie Landry she moved in across the street from me. When I first saw her I went over to her house she was so nice ever since I have been going over to her house every day and every day since first grade we have been friends all the way to seventh grade. We went everywhere together we did lots of things together Josie Landry is the best friend I will ever have. Every year for Halloween we always decorate our houses with spooky things it is so much fun doing that. And what Josie and I do every time one of us is sad we cry to each other ^{and} we also help other's that need help if they are feeling bad then we will cheer them up like ask them to come over or if they want to be my friend. Then one day Josie and I got into a fight we did not speak for several days. Several days later Josie and I came to gether and said we are sorry I felt so stupid I hate it when we fight it feels like a piece of me has broke me. I told Josie Lets never fight ever again Josie agreed with me. I was crying for days untill we made up. I was really happy because when we where not friends we could not do stuff together I felt devastated I did not go any where to my friends houses untill we mad up and that is why Josie and I are very great friends

When I was little I had went hunting when I was 11 I left school early on a Friday and we when hunting at Junction it is passed Sanantonio from Sour Lake to Junction it is about 8 hours away. We are staying there until Sunday and on the first day we got all are stuff ready and I was doing some target practice with my gun a 22-250 and my dad had set up a target the target was about 50 feet away the and it was a dollar and my dad had toled my to hit the one I missed by a inch I had hit the dollar but not the right spot of the dollar. So I had took a 30 minute nap then we had haded to the standes at 7:45 p.m the standes are about a mile away from the camp and that was a long walk and we were in are standes for about 10 minutes then I had spotted a dear so I took the shot and I had shot it in the neck so I saw the deretion that it had went so I brought my rifle with me my dad had came with me and he called my palpawl we was also hunting and he said hold on a second he said he sees one he had shot has we were heading back to the stands. We heard a thud we new that he had hit the dear and I opened the door and the bullet went through the walls it had went through a big dear and his dear standes is a mile away and also through are deer stand his dear stand is a portable one and he was using a 308 bolt action rifle. Then he got in his truck picked up his dear and came to use and my dad had picked up mine and wene it was loaded and done we had told him that his bullet had went through are dear stand we shode the bullet hole and I had found the bullet wene we had headed back we had hanged up the dear and skinned it then we put all the meat in a cooler and the dear head and my dad had put it

some were. The next morning we had dint really do anything but looked for a better spot then we had headed back shot some diffent guns that the land owner the we are hunting on we had shot his guns and went back to sleep.

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Then the last morning we had headed back to the standes I was using the 308 now I was in the standes and I saw a 12 point buck and it was big it was broud at the shoulder and really big leg mussels and I had tried not to hit the back because my faverite part was the back straps so I took the shot and the gun nearled through my out of the dear stands for how bad it kicked wene I loaded the gun it six bullets and broud the 24 bullets with me and I called my palpawl and in five minutes he came and it took my dad and my palpawl to lift it when they termed it over the other side of the shoulder was missing because the exit hole is bigger then the inner hole so they skinned and done the same thing and went to sleep. Then in the morning my palpawl was backing up then I said whach out then he goes to step on the brakes but he step on the gas and hit the tree and broke his back tail lights my dad had tried to fix it put my palpawl put red tape on it then we left and once has I got home I took a nap.

My mom always tried so hard to spend time with me. Sometimes, even tell me one thing just to make me come with her. It always turns out to be good, but there was a day when everything seemed to just go amazing. ~~It was a day when everything seemed to just go amazing.~~

Hands grabbing, kids talking, phones ringing, Cicci's Pizzeria was packed, loud, and crazy at eight o'clock in the morning. All I could think about was what we're doing after we finish eating. When my mom and I finished eating, I finally asked, "Where are we going mom?"

"You've never been there before," she noted. Oh boy, oh boy, oh boy, I couldn't believe she wasn't telling me what I wanted to hear all day long! As we drive the suspense is killing me, almost as if it can't wait.

As we arrive to our destination, my mom blasted, "Look, we're at the animal shelter." It was the happiest day of my life because I knew I was finally getting the puppy I wanted. I walked to her and told her, "Thank you so much, I've been waiting for over two months to come here."

When we went in I knew mom would want a dog so in which one I picked. As we were looking through the dogs I can see her smiling as I try to make a decision. After I picked the dog and we loaded him up, I looked to my mom and said "Thanks for the dog."

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I remember like it were yesterday, I was a 2014 Polaris Ranger years
grunting, muflying, tires screeching as my dad and uncle came around
the corner yelling at me to get in. We went to the woods
behind my house little did I know that we were
going to ride up an 825 pound hog that was in
a snare trap that they had set the day before
well I was at school.

That sent me back to the house to get my dog I
put in back of my go-kart and put it in high
and punched it I hit ever hole right before
I got there I reached and let my dog
go it went sent and belted threw
the mud and hit that hog some
hard it did a flip. my dad yelled
out at the top of his voice sit a
rope then my uncle yelled sit watch
but I looked up as fast as I could I seen
a big black hog ringing at me I jump
upon the front of the ranger my
dad roped the hog around the neck
and my uncle flipped it and put hog
I got down and grabbed my dog and put
her in the back. my uncle asked were
were you going I said a way from the
hog my dad grabbed the gun then BOOM.

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It was Friday everyone was cheering school's out we were so excited. My mom came and picked me and my friend Ethan up. She brought Ethan home and then started towards Lutelle I didn't know where we were going but I just sat there. We pulled up to a house and I saw my dad on the porch I ran up there and gave him a big hug. "I didn't know you had a new house," I stated.

"I kept it a secret," he added. "I have another surprise too," he laughed, as he brought me to the shed in the backyard. He went in and pulled out two twenty-two Calibers. "This one's yours," he muttered, as he shut the door behind him.

"So Cool," I joyfully screamed. Thank you so much I blared, as I ran inside to open the box he followed.

We're going hunting, he remarked. We hopped into the car and took off I was so happy to be back at the lease. Right when we arrived I went inside and put on my hunting clothes he did the same we grabbed our gun and headed to the deer stand. I climbed up and sat there we waited and waited then finally we saw one I aimed and shot. Right in the stomach I was so excited.

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Wow! Look at that big wooden wolf sitting on the top of that Peak! It's so big!

I can't believe that we are here at Great Wolf Lodge. It is an inside and outside water park. Great Wolf Lodge is a great vacation place because if you don't wanna get sun burnt then stay at the inside water park.

Though if you do wanna get a little tan then go outside and ride the slides and stuff.

When you start to get tired and don't wanna swim any more then go inside the building to the under ground floor to the arcade and play games for as long as you have money. There is also a bakery, that has donuts, ice cream, and many other sweets. They have a spa too called scoops it is amazingly beautiful and insanely expensive. The club for teens is where I use to go it started at 1:00pm to 12:30am it is really fun.

When I last came to great wolf lodge I was 10. All I ever did was go to the pool and the arcade. I would get in the hot tub and run back to the pool. I did not spend much time with my family because they were too busy so I would run off to play games.

If I ever do this something I did when I was 10 I'm gonna be broke. It's all fun but it is very expensive. I think next year we should just stay home.



When I got my first dog I didn't like him at first. Because he would always bark and Chew up stuff. One time he chewed up my new shoes and we couldn't re

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